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REISSUE SUPPLEMENT TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

This Reissue Supplement is an attachment to:

- "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)
- "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" No Filing Date Granted (PTO-1532)

The item(s) indicated below as missing must be filed within the period for reply to the attached Notice to File Missing Parts of Application to avoid abandonment:

The following items are required to complete the reissue application:

- Consent of the assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that the reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.
- Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

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In Re Reissue Application of: Rangan, et al.)
Application No.: 09/173,582) Examiner:
Filed: October 15, 1998)
For: DATA COMMUNICATION NETWORK)
WITH TRANSFER PORT, CASCADE)
PORT AND/OR FRAME)
SYNCHRONIZING SIGNAL)

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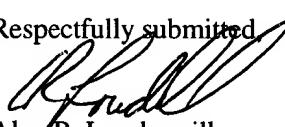
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed November 6, 1998 (attached), Applicants submit herewith the Declarations for the above-identified reissue application. One co-inventor's declaration has not arrived at the office of Applicants' Attorney as of the date of this Response, as explained in the Declaration of Alan R. Loudermilk attached hereto. The signed declaration, however, is immediately forthcoming.

To the extent necessary, the Assistant Commissioner may proceed under 37 C.F.R. 1.47.

Please charge the surcharge of \$130.00 for filing this Declaration to Deposit Account No. 50-0251. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0251. Two (2) additional copies of this Response are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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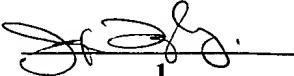
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